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.... OF THE

TOWN OF EATON,

1904=1905.



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Annual Report . . .

»»»» of the «««««

Municipal Officers

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- - TOWN OF EATON - -

»»»» for the «««««

Year Ending February 15,



1905.



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TOWN OFFICERS

CLERK:

WALTER B. DREW.

SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF POOR:

LUTHER E. DEARBORN, CHARLES E. STUART,
JOHN D. LITTLEFIELD.

TREASURER:

FRANK M. HATCH.

COLLECTOR:

DAVID M. THURSTON.

CONSTABLE:

ISAAC A. BEAN.

AUDITOR:

CLEMENT DREW.

SUPERVISORS OF CHECK-LIST:

GEORGE E. DOE,	Term expires 1906.
CHARLES S. ELLIS.	" 1906.
EVERETT J. WHITE,	" 1906.

SCHOOL BOARD:

WILLIE J. LONG,	Term expires 1905.
LESTER L. THOMPSON,	" 1906.
EUGENE W. HATCH,	" 1907.

BOARD OF HEALTH:

THOMAS B. ELLIS,	Term expires 1905.
CLEMENT DREW,	" 1906.
CHARLES M. STANLEY,	Resigned 1905.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES:

EDWIN SNOW,	Term expires 1905.
CLARK STANLEY,	" 1906.
FRANK M. HATCH,	" 1907.

Items for Assessments 1904.

State tax,	132 00
County tax,	326 04
Town expenses,	300 00
Highways and bridges,	1,200 00
Snow rollers,	150 00
Public library,	15 00
Schools by law,	264 00
Schools additional,	150 00
School books and repairs,	80 00
Flags and displaying same,	30 00
Per cent added,	113 03
	\$2,760 07

TREASURER'S REPORT

of the Town of Eaton for 1904.

Receipts.

	To cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1904,	\$350 35
June 24,	D. M. Thurston, collector 1904,	81 89
Aug. 5,	" " 1904,	49 77
	" "	
	on highway, 1904,	20 67
Oct. 8,	" collector	
	on highway, 1904,	31 14
Nov. 8,	" collector 1904,	90 66
	" " 1904,	172 49
	" "	
	on highway, 1904,	3 87
Dec. 3,	" collector	
	on highway,	25 53
	" collector,	226 48
	County of Carroll,	5 35
	State of N. H., Railroad tax,	6 35
	" Savings Bank tax,	88 00
	" Literary fund,	46 20
	" Proportion	
	of School fund,	256 00
1905,		
Jan. 14,	D. M. Thurston, collector 1904,	272 78
	" "	
	on highway, 1904,	29 67
	" collector	

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		on highway, 1903,	16 92
Feb. 11,	"	collector	
		on highway, 1904,	9 08
	"	collector 1904,	134 30
15,	"	" 1903,	7 51
	"	collector	
		on highway, 1903,	22 09
	"	collector	
		highway orders, 1903,	327 49
	"	collector 1904,	405 64
	"	collector	
		on highway, 1904,	7 07
	"	collector 1904,	96 20
	"	collector	
		highway orders, 1904,	766 90
		Bounty on hedgehogs,	11 50
		W. B. Drew, dog licenses,	33 60
			\$3,595 50

Disbursements.

1904.

Mar. 8, By paid Perley Douglas.

labor on highway, \$6 13

Chas. Nason, " 17 00

Apr. 2,

H. G. Freeman & Co.,

printing town reports, 14 40

F. W. Gray, cleaning

school house No. 10, 1 00

F. M. Hatch, supervisor, 6 00

Q. A. Thurston, keeping tramps, 1 00

	J. D. Littlefield, services	
	as selectman,	10 00
	Chas. Nason, drawback	
	on horse 1903,	71
	C. O. Thompson, supervisor,	6 00
	W. D. Stewart, "	6 00
5,	J. M. Giles, labor on highway,	8 00
May 2,	E. Seavey, labor on	
	Nesmith road,	5 00
23,	L. E. Dearborn, service	
	as selectman,	10 00
	School board, school money,	80 00
June	School board, "	300 00
	Isaac A. Bean, labor	
	on highway,	6 53
Aug. 4,	J. Wilkinson, labor on highway,	6 40
	D. M. Thurston, labor	
	on Lary road '00 & '01,	8 00
	Jos. E. Perkins, surveyor	
	Durgin road,	2 00
Oct. 8,	H. A. Stanley, acc't	
	of snow rollers,	27 00
	L. Thompson, breaking road,	5 25
	W. M. Kenison, "	2 10
	W. J. Long, flags and	
	putting up same,	29 51
	Thos. B. Ellis, bridge plank,	8 18
Nov. 9,	F. M. Hatch, supervisor,	6 00
10,	School board, school money,	350 00
Dec. 3,	Chas. M. Stanley, board	
	of health,	10 00
	C. O. Thompson, supervisor,	6 00

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	County tax,	326 04
	Ella Thurston, award	
	on road (Durgin),	25 00
24,	Chas. M. Stanley,	
	board of health,	13 50
	Clement Drew, “	18 40
1905.		
Jan.	State tax,	132 00
	E. C. Eastman, supplies,	22 11
	W. D. Stuart, supervisor,	6 00
	E. E. Hoyt, lumber for bridge	
	railing and plank,	12 85
	Chas. Nason, keeping tramp,	1 00
	H. A. Stanley, two snow	
	rollers in part,	73 00
	Thos. B. Ellis, board of health,	16 50
	Mark Snow, goods burned	
	by order of board of health,	18 00
	Forward,	\$1,602 61

Disbursements.

1905.		
	Brought forward,	\$1,602 61
Jan. 31,	Jos. E. Perkins, working	
	A. R. Hill's tax,	11 16
Feb. 15,	D. M. Thurston, collec-	
	tor highway orders 1903,	327 49
	Cyrus Thurston. land damage,	10 00
	L. F. Stuart, labor on highway,	4 25
	“ watering trough,	1 00
	Trustees P. Library, hous-	

ing and care of P. L., year	
ending Mar. 31, 1905,	5 00
E. W. Hatch, school board,	17 00
L. L. Thompson, “	14 75
W. J. Long, “	11 75
“ report of	
schools to, State,	3 00
C. E. Stuart, selectman,	27 90
L. E. Dearborn, postage	
stationery and express,	3 65
L. E. Dearborn, rec'd town report,	2 00
“ “ “ book,	5 00
D. M. Thurston, collector,	35 00
L. S. Merrill, formaldehyde	
B of H.,	5 81
Dr. C. P. Buzzell, services	
on acc't. B. of H.,	7 35
J. D. Littlefield, board of	
teacher 2 weeks, B. of H.,	3 00
L. E. Dearborn, selectman,	21 25
Clement Drew, town auditor,	2 00
“ district “	1 00
J. D. Littlefield, selectman,	21 85
Elmer Palmer, rep. roller,	87
C. Drew & Son, supplies B. of H.,	2 37
“ “ “	1 11
F. W. Davis, mattress	
J. S. D., B. of H.,	3 00
Edwin Snow, supplies B. of H.,	4 10
J. D. Littlefield, watering trough,	1 50
H. F. Paul, “	1 50
Albert Paul, “	1 00

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Orin Thurston,	"	1	50
J. M. Giles, plow broken			
on highway,		2	00
L. E. Giles, breaking roads,		18	62
J. M. Giles,	"	12	00
Mark Snow, watering trough,		1	00
H. H. Robertson, board,		14	75
E. C. Eastman, check-lists,		1	26
F. M. Hatch, treasurer,		15	00
"	watering trough,	1	50
Forward,		\$2,226	90

Disbursements.

Brought forward,		\$2,226	90
Feb. 20, By paid A. DeWitt, labor on highway,		6	22
Thos. B. Ellis,	"	8	14
W. E. Stuart,	"	3	22
P. E. Douglass,	"	20	72
I. A. Bean, constable,		4	00
C. M. Stanley, reporting 2 births,		50	
Ola Thompson, labor			
on highway,		1	80
F. E. Stuart, labor on highway,		9	71
A. W. Thompson,	"	16	52
L. P. Allard,	"	3	56
J. Wilkinson, damage on wagon,		2	05
E. Snow, bridge plank etc.,		31	14
W. D. Stuart, labor on road,		2	88
D. Dana,	"	2	00
J. C. Head, dynamite and			
labor on road,		6	25

H. A. Stanley, district clerk,	2 00
F. M. Wood, mending chain	
and harness,	1 65
Edwin Snow, 1 snow roller,	40 00
H. Kenison, mending chains etc.,	3 90
D. M. Thurston, col. abatement	
L. E. White, M. 1903,	1 09
D. M. Thurston, col. abatement	
L. E. White, H. 1903,	99
D. M. Thurston, col. abatement	
E. J. White, H. 1903,	99
D. M. Thurston, col. abatement	
E. J. White, M. 1903,	1 09
D. M. Thurston, col. abatement	
A. Gardner, H. 1904,	94
D. M. Thurston, col. abatement	
A. Gardner, M. 1904,	1 18
D. M. Thurston, col. abatement	
W. Beaupre, H. 1904,	94
D. M. Thurston, col. abatement	
W. Beaupre, M. 1904,	1 18
D. M. Thurston, col. abatement	
R. M. Dolloff, H. 1903,	99
D. M. Thurston, col. abatement	
R. M. Dolloff, M. 1903,	1 09
D. M. Thurston, col. abatement	
W. O. Allard, M. 1904,	1 18
D. M. Thurston, col. abatement	
W. O. Allard, H. 1904,	94
D. M. Thurston, col. abatement	
Nehemiah Day, M. 1903,	1 53
H. B. Thompson, watering trough,	1 50

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Selectmen, bounty on hedgehogs,	11	50
W. B. Drew, town clerk,	$\$12^{00}$ $\$13^{00}$	25 00
H. H. Robertson, board Apr. '04,	5	00
C. Drew, dynamite, sharp		
drills, etc.,	2	15
D. M. Thurston, collector		
1904 highway orders,	766	90
		\$3,219 34
Cash in treasury,		376 16
		\$3,595 50

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK M. HATCH, Treas.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN.

General Statement and Receipts.

Resident warrant,	2,189 80	
Non resident warrant,	570 27	
		\$2,760 07
Cash in treasury Feb. 15,	350 35	
Railroad tax,	6 35	
Savings bank tax,	88 00	
Literary Fund,	46 20	
Proportion state school fund,	256 00	
From county,	5 35	
Bounties,	11 50	
Dog license,	33 60	
Rec'd D. M. Thurston, collector		
1903 cash,	7 51	
Rec'd D. M. Thurston,		
cash on highway	^{39.01} _{327.49} 366 50	
		\$1,171 36
		\$3,931 43
Less due on D. M. Thurston, col. 1904,	2 78	
“ “ highway.	333 15	
	\$335 93	
		\$3,595 50

Expenditures.

County tax 1904,	\$326 04
State tax 1904,	132 00

Cash on highway,	191 46	
Miscellaneous,	55 92	
Drawback 1903,	71	
School money,	730 00	
Watering troughs,	10 50	
Public Library,	5 00	
Bounties,	11 50	
Town officer's bills,	322 90	
Flags and expenses displaying same,	29 51	
Snow rollers,	140 00	
Bridge plank,	52 17	
Abatements 1903, money 4.80 highway 2.97	7 77	
Abatements 1904, money 3.54 highway 2.82	6 36	
Supplies per order B. of H.,	44 74	
Town book, statutes, supplies, etc.,	23 37	
Awards,	35 00	
Highway orders 1903,	327 49	
" 1904,	766 90	
Cash in treasury,	376 16	
		\$3,595 50

RESOURCES.

Cash in treasury,	\$376 16	
Due from C. S. Ellis, Coll. 1899,	46 12	
D. M. Thurston, Coll. 1904,	2 78	
" "	333 15	
		\$758 21

LIABILITIES.

Due school district,	\$496 89
Highway to come in 1904,	333 15

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Due public library,	53 09	
		\$883 13
Liabilities above assets,		\$124 92

Respectfully submitted,

LUTHER E. DEARBORN,	}	Selectmen of Eaton.
CHARLES E. STUART,		
JOHN D. LITTLEFIELD,		

I hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts of the Treasurer and Selectmen and find them correct with proper vouchers for each item.

CLEMENT DREW, Auditor.

February 18, 1905.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Dist. Treasurer's Report.

Receipts.

Cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1904,	\$16 81
May 25, To cash from town treas. for books	
and repairs,	80 00
July 1, To cash from town treas., school money,	252 00
Aug. 10, " " "	48 00
Nov. 10, " " "	225 00
Dec. 9, " " "	40 00
1905.	
Jan. 9, " " "	85 00
Feb. 14, To cash rec'd from Chas. Durgin, tuition,	2 15
15, " town of Conway, "	17 40
	\$766 36

Disbursements.

April 21, By paid C. O. Thompson,	
painting school houses,	\$ 8 00
June 25, W. J. Long, paint furnished,	2 40
25, Guy Ellis, setting glass,	50
25, Frank Gray, fitting wood,	50
28, Eliza J. Hale, transportation,	22 00
July 1, Meddie Linscott, teaching,	40 00
1, Ethel Johnson, "	40 00
1, Gertrude L. Sanborn, "	40 00
1, Ada M. Fox, "	35 00

	2,	Bertha Ellis,	"	40 00
	2,	Mrs. Nora Perkins, board,		15 00
	2,	J. D. Littlefield,	"	15 00
	5,	Am. Book Co., books,		45 63
	5,	Thompson, Brown & Co.,		4 00
	10,	W. E. Garland Co., paint,		11 08
	25,	Chas. Towle, transportation,		20 00
	27,	A. W. Thompson, wood,		3 00
Aug.	9,	Bertha Ellis, board,		15 00
	19,	Eugene Hatch,	"	15 00
Oct.	13,	Edw. E. Babb & Co., books,		6 68
Oct.	14,	By paid F. W. Davis, chair,		1 75
Nov.	2,	H. A. Stanley, wood,		1 25
	18,	Chas. Towle, transportation,		14 00
	19,	Gertrude Sanborn, teaching,		36 80
	23,	Jesse M. Hatch, teaching.		16 00
	23,	" board,		8 00
Dec.	1,	Mark Snow,	"	14 25
	5,	Meddie A. Linscott, teaching,		23 20
	5,	Eliza J. Hale, transportation,		13 50
	6,	Bertha Ellis, teaching,		40 00
	8,	Marcia Allard,	"	35 00
	8,	Lorenzo " board,		30 00
	9,	Helen Harmon, teaching,		37 60
1905.				
Jan.	9,	Mrs. Ella Robertson, board,		4 00
	12,	John D. Littlefield,	"	15 00
	13,	" wood,		3 00
	18,	C. Drew, supplies,		33
	18,	Am. Book Co., books,		3 60
	24,	Town of Porter, tuition,		12 00
	28,	Bertha Ellis, board,		15 00

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31,	Annie Lougee, bal. due	
	for teaching (1901),	10 12
Feb. 14,	Chas. Durgin, board,	8 00
16,	Francis M. Wood, cleaning vault,	50
16,	School board, repairs	
	several districts,	4 29
16,	" express on books,	3 40
16,	W. J. Long, supplies furnished,	1 75
16,	" postage,	1 14
16,	school dist. of Conway tuition,	10 00
		\$742 27
	Cash in treasury,	24 09
		\$766 36

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIE J. LONG,

Dist. Treasurer.

Report of School Board.

School money raised by law,	\$264 00
“ in addition,	150 00
For school books and repairs,	80 00
Due from town per last report,	391 69
Cash in treasury, Feb. 15, 1904,	16 81
	\$902 50

Receipts.

Recd. from Dist. Treas., 1904,	\$ 16 81
Town Treas , school money,	650 00
“ for books and repairs,	80 00
for tuition,	19 55
	\$776 36

Disbursements.

Paid for teachers,	\$393 72
board,	154 25
transportation,	69 50
school books,	59 91
wood,	7 25
repairs,	26 77
postage and express,	4 54
supplies,	4 33
tuition,	22 00
	\$742 27
Balance in hands of treasurer,	24 09
	\$766 36

Resources.

Balance due from town school money 1904,	\$155 69
Cash in treasury,	24 09
Tuition due from Conway, Moses	
Thurston children,	2 60
Due from town, (proportion state school fund)	256 00
“ “ Literary fund,	46 20
“ “ dog license,	39 00
	\$523 58

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIE J. LONG,	}	School Board
LESTER L. THOMPSON,		of
EUGENE W. HATCH		Eaton

I hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts, and find them correct with proper vouchers for all items.

CLEMENT DREW,

District Auditor.

Feb. 16, 1905.

Tabular School Statement.

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No. of District	Name of Teachers	Length of School in weeks	Wages per Week	Board per Week	No. Scholars	Average Attendance	Arithmetic	Grammar	Penmanship	Algebra	History	Book-keeping	No. Visits of School Board	Discipline
1	Mary A. Linscott,	10	\$4 00	\$1 50	14	12	12	8	14	2	2	1	2	Good
1	Mary A. Linscott,	6	4 00	2 00	19	14	9	6	13	0	5	1	2	Good
1	Jesse M. Hatch,	4	4 00	2 00										
3	Gertrude L. Sanborn,	10	4 00	1 50	12	9	10	10	11	1	0	0	2	Good
3	Gertrude L. Sanborn,	9½	4 00	1 50	12	9	12	11	12	1	6	0	2	Good
4	Ada M. Fox,	10	3 50	1 50	10	7	10	4	10	1	4	0	2	Good
4	Marcia Allard,	10	3 50	1 50	8	6	7	3	7	3	4	0	2	Good
5	Ethel Johnson,	10	4 00	1 50	14	12	14	8	14	4	0	2	2	Good
5	Bertha Ellis,	10	4 00	1 50	12	9	12	6	12	2	0	0	2	Good
10	Bertha Ellis,	10	4 00	1 50	14	13	12	6	14	0	6	0	2	Good
10	Helen Harmon,	10	4 00	1 50	12	11	11	4	11	0	5	0	2	Good

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

To the Selectmen of Eaton, N. H.:

In compliance with the law, I hereby submit the following report of Marriages, Births and Deaths.

Marriages registered in the town of Eaton, N. H.

For the year 1904

Apr. 27, In Brownfield, Me., by Rev. A. J. Cameron, Willie J. Long of Eaton, and Nina Eleanor Dennett of Brownfield, Me.

Willie J. Long, age 27, was born in Eaton, N. H., and is by occupation a painter. His father, Geo. Long of Eaton, N. H. His mother's maiden name, Melvina Hart of Eaton, N. H.

Nina E. Dennett, age 17, was born in Brownfield, Me. Her father, James A. Dennett of Brownfield, Me. Her mother's maiden name, Helen M. Lewis, Conway, N. H.

May 23, Kezar Falls, Me., by H. A. Pearl, clergyman, George Mason of Parsonsfield, Me., and Lydia A. Sawyer of Eaton, N. H.

George Mason age 67 was born in Porter, Me., and is by occupation a tinsmith. His father, Joseph Mason of Hiram, Me. His mother's maiden name Ruth S. Fox of Hiram, Me.

Lydia A. Sawyer age 62, was born in Parsonsfield, Me. Her father's name J. D. White,

Eaton, N. H. Her mother's maiden name Lucinda Smith of Parsonsfield, Me.

July 4, In Conway, N. H., by Thomas P. Baker, clergyman, George M. Perkins of Eaton and Elizabeth R. Ellison of Brownfield, Me.

George Perkins, age 29, was born in Manchester, N. H., and by occupation a laborer. His father, Forrest T. Perkins of Sandwich, N. H. His mother's maiden name, Nora D. Hawkins, was born in Eaton, N. H.

Elizabeth R. Ellison age 16, was born in Amesbury, Mass. Her father, Alexandra Ellison was born in Brockton, Mass. Her mother's name Maria Ellison of St. John, N. B.

Records of Births registered in the town of Eaton,

For the year 1904.

Feb. 1, To Alex Deggrammont and Malvai Deggrammont, a daughter. Alex Deggrammont, age 36 born in Canada, and by occupation, lumberman. The mother's maiden name, Malvaia Tascharean, age 30 was born in Canada. 3d child.

Feb. 21, To Everett J. and Cora A. White, a daughter. Everett J. White, age 25, born in Eaton, N. H., and by occupation a painter. The mother's maiden name, Cora A. Berry, age 22, born in Conway, N. H. Residence, Eaton, N. H. 1st child.

Feb. 27, To Augustine W. and Mamie Thompson, a son.

Augustine W. Thompson, age 46, was born in Eaton, N. H., and by occupation, farmer. The mother's maiden name, Mamie Thompson, born in Eaton, N. H.

Residence Eaton, N. H. 5th child.

Mar. 31, To Harry S. and Etta W. Ellis, a son.

Harry Ellis age 24 was born in Eaton, N. H., and by occupation a farmer. The mother's maiden name Etta Rogers, age 18, was born in Brownfield. Me.

Residence, Eaton, N. H. 2nd child.

May 4, To Hubert A. and Etta M. Bean, a son.

Hubert A. Bean, age 34 was born in Eaton, N. H., and by occupation a laborer. The mother's maiden name Etta M. Drown, age 29, was born in Eaton. N. H.

Residence, Eaton, N. H. 4th child.

July 4, To Lionel and Lena J. Giles, a son

Lionel Giles. age 25, was born in Eaton, N. H., and by occupation a farmer. The mother's maiden name was Lena J. Stevens, age 18, was born in Effingham, N. H.

Residence, Eaton, N. H. 1st child.

Record of Deaths registered in the Town of Eaton, for the year 1904.

Feb. 25, Rena E. White, age 4 days, born in Eaton, N. H.

Her father, Everett J. White, her mother's maiden name, Cora A. Berry.

Intestinal Hemorrhage.

Apr. 11, Meriba Wilkinson, age 80 years, 11 months, 29 days, was born in———.

Widowed. .

Cerebril Hemorrhage.

Nov. 16, Orra Snow, age 64 years, 8 months, 12 days, was born in Eaton, N. H., her father, Robert Robertson, her mother's maiden name was Lydia Nickerson.

Married.

Diptheria.

Dec. 26, Caleb Shackford, age 70 years, 6 months, 15 days, born in Eaton, N. H., and by occupation a merchant, his father Bradley Shackford, his mother, Betsey Shackford.

Married.

Suicide.

I hereby certify that the above is a true transcript of the record of all the Marriages, Births, and Deaths that have been reported to me for the year ending December 31st, 1904.

WALTER B. DREW,

Town Clerk.

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